Take My Word For It!

By FRANK COLBY

SURPRISE WORD

Overheard on a news broadcast: "Twice within a few minutes the town was shaken by a "trembler."

A "trembler" is one who trembles. There is no such word describing an earthquake. The correct word is **temblor.** It is from the Spanish phrase, temblor de tierra, meaning "earthquake."

The accent falls on the second syllable, which rhymes with "more, pore." Say: tem-BLORE.

An earthquake is often referred to as a tremor, from the Latin word of the same spelling, and meaning "quaking." First choice: TREM-ER. Second choice: TREE-mer. . .

Colby, You're Wrong!

San Diego: Recently you made the non-sensical assertion that it is quite all right to pronounce **rather** with a flat "a." If you will consider the word **father,** which always has the "ah" sound, you'll see how mistaken you are. I demand a retraction.—W. T. H.

Answer: Slathers of such blather in my column make you lather, I gather.

Altadena: Since you advise pro-MUL-gate, instead of the correct British PROM-ul-gate, your pronunciation of propagate, then, must be pro-PA-gate?—A. P. R.

Answer: Sorry, this column establishes no pronunciations. It reports correct American usage, as reflected by the concensus of American dictionaries.

Of seven American dictionaries, all list as first or only choice: pro-MUL-gate. Two list PROM-ul-gate as second American choice.

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.

Minute Make-Ups

By GABRIELLE

Roll your own—eyes, not cigarettes! Rolling the eyes is a splendid One Minute Exercise. Look straight ahead. Now, lower and raise the upper lids ten times without moving the lower lids. Now close your eyes and count ten. Repeat. If you suffer from eye strain this is a very soothing exercise.

Ledger Syndicate.—WNU Features.

Federal mediation may take a hand in the automotive workers strike in Detroit, as the industry is on verge of being tied up.

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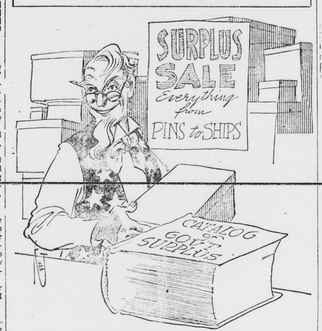


Atomic Bomb Floors Japanese

Brings an Appeal for Peace; Entry of Russia Into War Also a Factor.

WASHINGTON.—When the Japanese government announced its readiness to accept the terms of the Potsdam declaration it meant the end of the war was not far off. The announcement said the government acted in obedience to Hirohito, who "desires earnestly to bring about an early termination of hostilities."

The Japanese appeal for peace says in part:

"The Japanese government are ready to accept the terms enumerated in the joint declaration which was issued at Potsdam on July 26, 1945, by the heads of the governments of the United States, Great Britain and China and later subscribed to by the Soviet government with the understanding that the said declaration does not comprise any demand which prejudices the prerogatives of His Majesty as a sovereign ruler."

This meant the end of hostilities that started September 18, 1931, with Japan's attack in Manchuria, which was succeeded by the capture of much of China and culminated in the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor December 7, 1941.

The principal question posed by the Japanese declaration was the condition with respect to the status of the emperor. The Potsdam declaration was silent about him.

The Allies, after consultation of the four powers, United States, Great Britain, Russia and China, agreed to accept the Japanese surrender with Emperor Hirohito kept on the throne but completely subject to the authority of the Allied powers.

It's the End for Japs.

The second taste of the atomic bomb, this time with Nagasaki on the receiving end, the Russian declaration of war, followed immediately by the invasion of Jap-held Manchuria and Korea by the Red armies, hastened the determination of the Japanese government to surrender.

Three Russian invasion columns have advanced into Manchuria in a great pincers and have made steady progress forward. The Russians stunned the Japs with massed artillery backed by tanks and infantry. Several lines of communication were seized.

The second atomic bomb dropped on Japan destroyed 39 per cent of the industrial city of Nagasaki. At least 13 factories, including the big Mitsubishi steel and iron works, were destroyed.

War industries which played an important part in building the Japanese military machine were hard hit, the damage ranging from 20 to 100 per cent.

Okinawa - based pilots attacking other objectives on Kyushu said the clouds of smoke from Nagasaki spread rapidly until they obscured bombing targets 60 miles from the port.

General Spaatz, chief of the United States strategic air forces, announced after viewing reconnaissance photographs from the second use of the bomb against the enemy that scattered fires and explosions outside the smoke obscured area.

Dispatches to the United Press that the atomic bomb explosion was "too terrible to believe." One said that the blinding glare of the blast was so great that when it faded he thought for a moment that the sun was setting.

Hiroshima Wiped Out.

Slowly reports are coming in telling of the awful havoc created by the one atomic bomb dropped on Hiroshima. The latest devastation is beyond comprehension.

Blasted and blistered corpses littered the ruins, the Japs admitted, calling the city a "disastrous ruin."

A Tokyo broadcast said that the impact of the bomb was so terrific that practically all living things, human and animal, were literally seared to death by the tremendous heat and pressure engendered by the blast.

Photographs confirmed that four and a tenth square miles—fifty per cent of the built-up area—of Hiroshima had vanished almost without trace.

Unofficial American sources estimated Jap dead and wounded might exceed 100,000.

Scores of factories, including five major war plants, office buildings and dwellings were known to have been leveled. Only a few skeletons of concrete buildings remained in the obliterated area.

Radio Tokyo, breaking a long silence after the raid, said the "indescribable destructive power" of the bomb had crushed big buildings and small dwellings alike in an unparalleled holocaust.

Reds Order Gold, Coins Turned in by Germans

LONDON. — The Berlin radio said in a broadcast that the Soviet military administration in Germany recently ordered "all firms, organizations and institutions" in the Russian occupied areas to turn in to the state bank of the Soviet occupied army, "all gold and silver coins, gold and silverware, foreign bank notes and coins, and all currency issued in territory formerly occupied by Germany."

$25 week loses in Senate vote.

State Department calls hand of General MacArthur as to the dictation of policy toward Japan.

Three superforts fly non-stop to Chicago from Japan.

List of war criminals in Japan will be enlarged.

Gladstone

Gladstone, Sept. 19.- Miss Annie Wills left yesterday for Madison College.

Miss Nancy McFadden, of Richmond is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. W. Foster.

Miss Virginia Moss, of Richmond is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Moss.

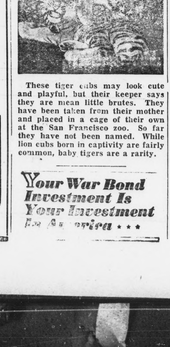
Senate banking committee finishes a draft of some items in the full employment bill sought by President Truman.

Navy requests Congress to approve powerful post-war fleet.

Football season about ready to get under way.

Bright tobacco markets are now open with prices generally holding to government ceilings.

Pretty Kitties



These tiger cubs may look cute and playful, but their keeper says they are mean little brutes. They have been taken from their mother and placed in a cage of their own at the San Francisco zoo, as legal from an officer he dropped the blade of the machine and annihilated 12 men entrenched there.

U. S. Treasury Department

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Gray Flannel Suit

Soft gray flannel forms the youthful suit. The brief jacket has tucked yoke treatment and two patch pockets, and is worn with a red and gray print blouse.

Employment now is below peak period during war effort.

Tel phone 30 with Personals.

Attorneys still argue the investigation of results of the August Democratic primary election.

Bob Feller pitches 1-hit baseball game against Detroit.

Retail price of gasoline has decreased slightly over one cent.

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GENERAL ELECTRIC

Liberty Chapel

Liberty Chapel, Sept. 18.- Farmers of this community have just right much hay and corn fodd as results of the heavy rains recently.

Mrs. B. H. Bishop, of Roanoke, Mrs. Eugene Budd and daughter, Louise, also a son, Ralph, of Hope, well spent last Thursday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scruggs.

Lewis Hatcher and son, Lewis, of Campbell spent Sunday with his brother, L. J. Hatcher.

Miss Marcia Childers, of Washington, D. C. visited her mother, Mrs. J. D. Childers last week; she Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Childers and little daughter, of Roanoke visited in this home recently.

Mrs. Mattie L. Davidson, of near Forest spent last Thursday night in the home of her brother, John W. Scruggs.

Friends are glad to hear that J. Kenneth Marshall, Jr. is improving after a recent illness.

After receiving his discharge from the Army, "Bob" Thornhill and his family, of Oklahoma has been spending some time with his mother, Mrs. F. L. Thornhill.

Chas. H. Garrette, of Blackburg visited relatives here recently.

Joe Megginson, who has been visiting friends in New Hampshire has returned home.

Mrs. Frances Gulli and sons are spending a few days with her husband in Norfolk.

Mrs. Percy A. Garrette has returned home from the Virginia Baptist Hospital much improved after a recent illness.

Mrs. Paul Thornhill continues indisposed.

Robert B. Patterson nominated by Truman to be Secretary of War.

Congress considers bill to raise enlistments in Army.

Senator Burton, of Ohio named by Truman to vacancy on the Supreme Court.

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SERVICEMENS NEWS

FIRST IN TOKYO BAY

On the USS Sutherland in Tokyo Bay (Special to Times - Virginian) Frank M. McCann, fireman, first class, USNR, Route 1, Spring, Va., is serving on the destroyer, which was the first United States warship to enter Tokyo Bay (August 28). At 11 A. M. the Sutherland led three minesweepers into the channel, all at general quarters ready to repulse any attack. The destroyer led the group through the channel without trouble, dropping anchor five miles off the Yokosuka naval base at 2:27 P. M.

Ray Godsey, U. S. Navy, has visited in California, and is expected home soon.

Lt. Joey Holland is spending some time at his home here.

T-Sgt. Kennard Gills, of Richmond spent the week-end with his father, Mrs. W. P. Gills. He has just returned from overseas.

Among the returning soldiers who zoomed home this week were: Pvt. Gwin William R. Harding, Prince Paulette, Edward N. Harris, Floyd Bingham and Basil Meado.

Pfc. Kennon Kinney, of Albany, has recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kinney.

Staff Sgt. C. F. James, Jr. is home on a 15-day furlough.

Mrs. Lula Beale has received word that her son, Pfc. James Beale, who has been serving overseas, is on his way home.

Sgt. Hugh Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bryant, of Cullen was a visitor in Appomattox Wednesday. Sgt. Bryant has just returned from overseas.

Captain Benjamin F. Moomaw, USA, has been awarded a certificate of commendation for "outstanding and meritorious service" as assistant of the Army Specialized Training Unit at the University of Virginia since July 1, 1944. Major General Phillip Haynes, commanding the Third Service Command of the Army, says in his general order that "As the commandant and only officer at that post Captain Moomaw has discharged his heavy responsibilities with complete ability, great tact and wisdom."

Bobby Lawson, U. S. Navy, is stationed at Balbridge, Md.

Morton Ferguson left this week for Washington, where he will join the Merchant Marine.

Jack Lawson, U. S. Navy, is at Pearl Harbor.

Joe Ferguson, U. S. Navy, who is in the Philippines has written that he has been made an instant to the chaplain.

Cpl. Randolph Mann is home, serving three years overseas. He has received a discharge.

Chief Petty Officer T. M. Trent of Tuesday for Raleigh, N. C., after spending a 30-day leave at home here.

Sgt. John Torrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Torrence, has arrived home after serving overseas. He has received a discharge.

T-5 R. C. Moore, Jr. is stationed at Plattsburg, N. Y.

Pvt. Raymond L. Maxwell is stationed at Sheppherds Field, Texas.

Miss Eleanor Carson has received word that Cpl. Jennings Conner, who has been overseas 26 months, is stationed in Italy. Cpl. Conner will receive his discharge upon reaching the States.

Pvt. James P. Burton, from Liberty Head, Denvery, Co., is at home on furlough.

Truman says isolationism is not dying in United States.

Nazi arrests follow revolt in Argentina.

Find that Jap firing squad executed three of Doolittle's flyers.

Number of workers on strike increasing rapidly.

Truman gives plane to DeGaulle.

Billy Conn gets discharge from Army.

Dewey tapes Dismal Swamp for Federal Park.

It's like "old home week' most any day now in Appomattox, as more and more of our boys come in from overseas. This column asks the cooperation of parents and friends in reporting the arrival of "our boys."

Cpl. Elvin Caldwell, son of Mr and Mrs. Lois Caldwell, arrived in the States Sunday, September 16 after 9 months in France. He has been in the service since 1942. He will spend a furlough here before reporting to Fort Meade, Md. He was a welcomed visitor in the Times-Virginian office this week.

Conservation on the Farm

(One of a Series)

A large number of farmers who are working with the Robert E. Lee Soil Conservation District are planning to have their soil tested in the fields that will be planted to corn, tobacco and pastures in order that they may know just how much fertilizer is needed. Among these are Mr. E. P. Sears, Mrs. S. C. Drinkard, Garland Garrette and T. H. Tanner.

Mr. O. H. Spencer recently bought a registered Jersey cow which is giving four gallons of milk a day.

Mr. Kerm Mays recently bought a corn binder. He is planning to improve his pastures by liming, using a high grade of fertilizer, and reseeding.

Marvin Glover, of Hixburg, is competing in a National 4-H Soil Conservation Contest. A Tire and Rubber Company is donating the contest. There are six state prizes of fifty dollar war bonds, sixteen sectional prizes of trips to the National 4-H Club Congress and eight prizes of two hundred dollar scholarships.

FUNERAL OF MR. W. B. MAXWELL

Sept. 18.- Funeral services for Walter B. Maxwell were conducted Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Rocks Baptist Church by the Rev. John S. Moore, assisted by Rev. Turner.

Active pallbearers were Glenn Martin, Fred Martin, Douglas Jennings, Tee Maxwell, Leslie Pankey and Jim Frank Ranson. Honorary pallbearers were: Joel Watkins, W. D. Hix, P. H. McPhillips, Ed McPhillips, W. W. Jennings, S. C. Ranson and A. A. Baldwin. Flower girls were Mrs. Jerry McCoy, Mrs. Earl Goin, Mrs. Linwood Harvey, Misses Lily Clemmie, Edna and Christine Maxwell, Mrs. Fred Martin, Mrs. John Routte and Mrs Glenn Martin.

CARD OF THANKS: We wish to thank our friends for their kindness shown us after the sudden death of our father.

—The Maxwell Family.

COUNCIL MEETING

The Appomattox town council will hold its October meeting on Monday night, October 1st.

Russia begins demobilization.

Careless Japanese Saves U. S. Lieutenant's Life

TULSA, OKLA.—The son of former Oklahoma House Speaker Johnson D. Hill is alive to tell of his expert with a careless Japanese. The story was learned here by Hill from his son, 1st Lt. J. D. Hill Jr., now in Letterman hospital in San Francisco, Calif.

Hill, who is recuperating from a shell wound, was a platoon leader of the 25th Infantry (New York) division and was hit on his second day in combat on the bloody Ryukyus islands.

"The carelessness of a Japanese saved my life," young Hill said. "A mortar shell hit me squarely in the back, but luckinly the gunner had failed to pull the safety pin and the projectile did not explode."

Hill worked on the Sacramento (Calif.) Bee newspaper before he enlisted in 1942. He earned a commission in the coast artillery, but later was assigned to the infantry.

Besides Hill's parents, his wife and small son live in Tulsa.

The above photo was taken at recent meeting to plan the coming War Fund drive in the Fourth District. Included in the group with Governor Darden are W. M. Abbitt and Chas. T. Moses, of Appomattox.

Change Clocks September 30

Eastern Standard Time will be returned to use as of September 30th, according to recent legislation passed by Congress and signed by the President. Don't forget to change your clocks and watches, or you will miss schedules and engagements.

Shoot's His Wife While Dancing, Then Kills Self

CHICAGO, ILL. — While they danced cheek to cheek to the strains of "I'll Keep on Loving You," Edward Rzeszutko, 28, shot his pretty wife in the neck, then turned the gun on himself, police said.

Mrs. Rzeszutko, 27, was reported in critical condition. Rzeszutko, a clerk, died almost immediately.

Friends told police that the tragedy occurred in the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wojcik, who were giving a homecoming party for their soldier son.

None of the guests was able to explain Rzeszutko's actions. The couple were happily married, they said, and apparently devoted to their three-year-old son.

They said three couples were dancing when two shots were heard. "Are you shot, honey?" Rzeszutko was heard to ask. "Yes," his wife replied. "Then I might as well finish the job," he said, and fired a third bullet into his head.

Stays at Wheel Despite Flames on His Gas Truck

GREEN BAY, WIS.—With flames shooting 20 feet from the rear of a tank truck loaded with 5,000 gallons of gasoline, Robert Miller, 26, of Route 5, Green Bay, remained at the steering wheel for five blocks to get the vehicle out of the west side business district.

Firemen put out the flames with only slight loss. Prevention of an explosion was attributed to the melting of safety plugs on the top of the tank, releasing vapor pressure from the interior.

Miller said he believed that gasoline spilled on top of the tank when it was being loaded ran over the rear end and down a safety chain, and was ignited from a spark.

Announce Program For Stock Sale Here

Plans for a special sale of Registered Guernsey Bulls, have been announced today by R. B. Hudgins, county agent, in the following statement:

"The Appomattox Lions Club in cooperation with the Coble Dairy Products Company, cordially invites you to Appomattox Wednesday, October 10.

"We believe we have arranged a day you will enjoy and that you will profit from it. It will be a Dairy Day in honor of you who have made a real contribution to dairy development in this area.

"To begin with, we have planned an Open House at the Coble Dairy Plant from 9:00 A. M. until 11:30 A. M. We want you to see how your milk is handled and to get acquainted with the folks at the plant.

"At 11:30 we will all meet up at the court house grounds for a short program of value. Cash and merchandise prizes will be awarded to various patrons. Following the awarding of prizes there will be a program consisting of: speech of welcome by Mayor Charles F. James, addresses by State Commissioner of Agriculture L. M. Walker, by Dr. T. B. Hutcheson, State Agronomist from V. P. I., and George S. Coble of the Coble Dairy Products Company.

"Each family is requested to bring a basket lunch. Tables will be provided for this purpose. The Coble Dairy Products will furnish ice cream for your dinner, so bring your basket and mingle with your neighbors and get better acquainted with the farmers and business men who are interested in dairy development in this section.

"At two o'clock the big event will start, which is a sale of Registered Guernsey bulls and heifers sponsored by the Virginia Agricultural Service, Appomattox Lions Club, Appomattox County Agricultural Board and the Coble Dairy Products Company.

"These animals have been selected from the best Guernsey herds of the state and are from extremely high producing blood lines. This is a wonderful opportunity to get into a real dairy sire or a heifer for foundation purposes.

"We sincerely hope you will come and bring your family and enjoy a day getting better acquainted with those interested in the dairy business, hear a real program from outstanding dairy leaders, and attend a sale where you would have an opportunity to purchase splendid registered Guernseys at your own price."

W. F. ABBOTT

Statement From Red Cross Chairman

The termination of my service of more than two years as chairman of the Appomattox County Chapter of the American Red Cross, made necessary by circumstances over which I have no control, gives me the opportunity of saying that I sincerely thank the members collectively and severally for the honor they have conferred upon me in selecting me for their leader. I also wish to express to them my heartfelt appreciation for the magnificent support both financially and personally, they have given to the National and Local Chapter during my administration. Such loyalty and devotion have been and will be a source of inspiration to me in all the future years of my life.

The splendid cooperation of the National Area and Local Chapter Officials, which I have enjoyed in administering the affairs of the Chapter, has not been excelled in any Chapter, of this the greatest in both heart and service, of all the humanitarian agencies of our nation.

Faithful cooperation, wise counsel and mutual helpfulness have been the usual order of every day, on the part of the membership, officials and committees of both the national and local chapter.

As I leave this community for service in another, I shall carry with me many pleasant and inspiring recollections of the liberal response you made to the two War Fund Drives conducted while I was chairman of your chapter, in which you subscribed twice the amount necessary to cover your budgetary appropriations. I shall never forget the willingness with which you assisted in carrying forward successfully all the work of the local chapter, by the sacrificial giving of both your time and talents.

I leave those whom you have selected to take over the leadership from here on, a fine bank balance in money, some much needed equipment for the relief of human suffering and training in the care of the unfortunate through the Home Nursing and First Aid program.

The affairs of the chapter have been duly audited, annually, and the books of the Treasurer balanced and approved by those authorized to do this important work. The report of these annual audits have been published in the local county paper, and are open for the inspection of any member at any time.

May I request of you, that you render those who now take over the affairs of the chapter the same fine loyalty and strong support that you have given me. They can and will ask no more.

The task of the American Red Cross is a continuing one, and its ministry to our heroes, the service and ex-service men, who remain with the armies of occupation, in the hospitals and our homes, will not be over for many years to come. They have earned our eternal gratitude and richly deserve every courtesy and consideration we can show them.

Other areas of activity will require an ever increasing personnel as the services expand, and a correspondingly increased financial support. Let us not fail ourselves in failing to support our American Red Cross.

Every member of the American Red Cross has helped to build, and is helping to sustain the greatest humanitarian agency and the greatest people's partnership of the whole round world.

I would not feel right to slip away from your community without saying, "well done," in the emergencies of war, and "more power to you," as you face the challenging opportunities of helping to build a just and enduring peace.

Wm. R. Reed, Chairman, Appomattox Chapter Red Cross.

Slaughter Rules Are Changed

The removal of slaughter quotas on slaughtering does not affect beef production payments to feeders. Payments will continue to be made on eligible cattle the same as since the program began last May.

Slight changes in the definition of slaughterers and in provisions for certification of ownership have been made in the procedure followed by county AAA offices in making payments.

Termination of the slaughter quotas has changed the reference to "legally authorized slaughterers" in the program requirements to include all slaughterers.

On sales after September 8th, payments may be verified by checking the names of slaughterers on the certification who qualified as "legally authorized slaughterers" before that date.

For sales on and after October 1, payments will be made on certification of the buyer that the cattle were purchased by a slaughterer for slaughter or by a person who will deliver them within 29 days to a slaughterer for slaughter. Other evidence needed by the AAA committees to prevent duplicate payment on the same cattle includes:

(1) Certification that the cattle were raised by the applicant; or

(2) That the cattle weighed less than 700 pounds when purchased by the applicant, or that the price paid was at least $1 below the minimum price (for "good" cattle) for the applicable zone. Name and address of person from whom purchased should be included; or

(3) A record of previous sales of the cattle tracing back to the last 30-day ownership previous to the applicant's ownership.

(4) That such previous owner sold the cattle weighing under 800 pounds or under the minimum price (for "good" cattle) for the applicable zone; or

(5) That such previous 30-day owner certified he sold them as feeders.

This kind of evidence is now being accepted when slaughterers cannot be readily identified.

W. F. ABBOTT

Funeral services for William Frank Abbott, 62, were held from Bethlehem Methodist Church, Concord Depot, Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. W. Ingo. In addition to his widow he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Frances Coffee, of Concord Depot, and two sisters, Mrs. William Abbott, Owen and Miss Abbott, of Concord Depot.

HERMAN W. GRISHAW

Herman Whitfield Grishaw, 36, died at his home, Route 1, Appomattox, at three o'clock Monday morning, September 24. He was born in Campbell County, son of Whitfield Grishaw and Mrs. Martha Agnes Grishaw. In addition to his parents, he is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Kenneth C., Harry E. and Fred W., Appomattox; Richard H., U. S. Army, stationed in the Pacific; Miss Shirley May, and Mrs. Eunice M. Nester, Appomattox.

Funeral services were held from the home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. J. Howard Macfess, pastor of the Appomattox Presbyterian Church, officiating.

Pallbearers were: James Layne, Newton Mayberry, Burton Crews, Hunter Mayberry, Lyle Grishaw, and Herman Puckett. Interment was made at Concord, Va.

Allies clamp firmer grip on Germany.

Eisenhower bans Nazis from all executive positions.

Army may be cut to less than two million by next July.

Allies seeking to wreck ability of Germany to make war.